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## **Sen. Patterson escorts Supreme Court at State of the State**

**LANSING** – Sen. Bruce Patterson, R-Canton, was chosen to escort the members of the Michigan Supreme Court to their places in the Capitol for the governor's annual State of the State address on Feb. 8. This is a prestigious honor, one of the most coveted among the ceremonies prior to the speech.

Senate Majority Leader Ken Sikkema, R-Wyoming, recognized Patterson's knowledge of the law and his membership on the Senate Judiciary Committee in making this appointment.

Patterson also had special guests from his district in attendance with him: Mark Abbo, a Northville Township supervisor, and John Pardington, owner of the Holiday Market in Canton.

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**Photos of Sen. Patterson are available at:**

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